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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Zahid Najam, et al.

Serial No.: 09/858,308

Filing Date: May 15, 2001

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
INTERCONNECTING A  
PROCESSOR TO CO-  
PROCESSORS USING SHARED  
MEMORY

Examiner: S. Gerstl

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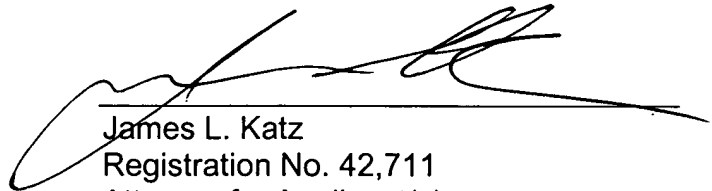
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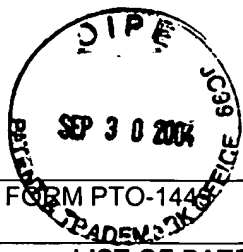
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